

lution. This was the Senator's last appearance in public.

During the latter part of July and up to August 17 he remained in his home and much of the time stayed in bed. He received visitors daily and dictated many letters to his secretary.

Previous to the 17th, reports of his illness were treated lightly by his family and immediate friends. On one occasion, when a report was circulated that his condition was serious, he dictated a semi-humorous account of his illness and requested that it be sent to the Associated Press. He attributed his illness to "Washington malaria" and to the attack of lumbargia. He grew gradually weaker, however, and on the morning of August 17 had a coughing spell, caused by the weak action of the heart. His condition seriously alarmed his physician and his family.

On September 25, it was announced by his son that he was failing rapidly and he lapsed at times into unconsciousness. From that time until his death he was unable to take nourishment, but his constitution enabled him to resist death for such a length of time that even his physician was surprised.

Sketch of His Life.

George Frisbie Hoar, senior United States Senator from Massachusetts, son of Samuel Hoar, the statesman, and grandson of Capt. Samuel Hoar, an officer in the Revolutionary War, was born at Concord, Mass., August 29, 1826, and was educated at Concord Academy and at Harvard College, from which latter institution he was graduated with the class of 1846. After studying law he was graduated from the Harvard law school and began the practice of his profession at Worcester, his home until his death.

He was a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1852 and of the State Senate in 1857, after which he was elected, as a Republican, to four successive Congresses, serving from March 4, 1869, until March 3, 1877.

He declined a renomination to Congress, was elected United States Senator from Massachusetts, taking his seat March 5, 1877, was reelected in 1883 and again at the expiration of each successive term, the last time being in 1901. His present term would have expired in 1907, completing a period of thirty years' service in the upper house.

He was a delegate to the Republican National Conventions of 1876, 1880 and 1884, and one of the managers, on the part of the House of Representatives, of the Belmont impeachment trial in 1876, and a member of the Electoral Commission of that year.

He was an overseer of Harvard in 1874-80, regent of the Smithsonian Institution in 1880, president of the American Antiquarian Society in 1887, trustee of the Peabody Museum of Archaeology and a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society, besides many other historical, scientific and literary societies. He received the degree of LL.D. from William and Mary, Amherst, Yale and Harvard colleges, successively.

Senator Hoar was twice married—to Miss Mary Louise Spurr and after her death to Miss Ruth A. Miller. His second wife died in Washington last winter.

He is survived by one brother, Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar of Worcester, a prominent member of the Massachusetts bar; and by one son, Col. Rockwood Hoar, district attorney of Worcester county.

COULDN'T BAFFLE EHLE.

American Engineer Finds Out Things About Panama Canal Which French Failed to Discover.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—"George Ehle, an American engineer, with a party of young college graduates in four months has made discoveries about the Panama canal which the French engineers failed to make in fifteen years." His information makes it possible to solve the remaining problem of the Panama Canal by diverting the streams to the Pacific Coast. It also releases \$20,000,000 for excavating a sea level waterway.

This announcement of the engineering work was far along when the United States Panama Canal Commission was made last night before the Chicago Press Club by Chief Engineer John F. Wallace, who recently returned from the isthmus.

"In their explorations," said the chief engineer, "Resident Engineer George Ehle and his college lads endured hardships that it took American pluck to overcome. Their task for the moment was to cross the tropical jungle, tracing the course and source of the Chagres River, whose spring freshets, sometimes forty feet deep, have proved an insurmountable obstacle to a sea level canal project."

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The train out of Helena was in charge of a conductor and an engineer, both of whom are candidates on the Democratic ticket for the Montana State Convention at Hope, Idaho, that the visitors first came into sight of Lake Pend Oreille. There was a brief stop at that point, but instead of delivering speeches, the Senators put in their time watching the droll performances of a pet bear which was exhibited for their delectation.

Idaho, the train was stopped at Sand Point in Rathdrum for speed, and at both places the talk was on the rear platform of the Edgewood, Sand Point being an important lumbering point. Senator Fairbanks devoted his remarks largely there to a discussion of the duty on lumber, contending that Republican policies are necessary to the proper protection of our industries. He made no reference to Senator Dubois's challenge to the Auditorium. An admission fee, ranging from 10 to 50 cents, was charged.

One son, Archie Sweetland, Jr., is employed at Merriman's confectionery store, No. 127 South Spring street, Los Angeles, and another lives here.

POLITICAL MANY IRISH FOR "TEDDY."

Editor Roche of the Boston Pilot Tells Why.

The President Fair and Just to the Catholics.

Fairbanks Due at San Jose Next Tuesday.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES)

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Brooklyn Eagle's Washington special says:

"Another encouraging bit of information received by the Republican leaders here relates to the Irish vote. James Jeffrey Roche, editor of the Boston Pilot, who is now in this city and who yesterday lunched with Roosevelt, says that many Irish-Americans will this year vote for the Republican candidate for President for the first time."

"One of the most significant features of this campaign," said Roche, "is the breaking-up of the solidarity of the Irish vote. Of course, since the time of Blaine, the Irish have been drifting away from the Democratic party, but not in very large numbers; but in this campaign they seem to be declaring for Theodore Roosevelt."

"The President has always been popular with citizens of Irish birth and extraction. He has been fair and just to the faith which is professed by the majority, and after all, the Irish are not only a fighting, but a grateful race."

(PHILIPINE PRIORS.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES)

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "I cannot speak for the Vatican," said Archbishop Messmack today, "but I believe that President Roosevelt's policy in regard to the Philippine friars has met the approval of the Vatican authorities, and that there is a feeling that, in case of his election, they would be assured of straightforward and considerate treatment. Personally, I should be glad to see Roosevelt elected President, though I can only speak for myself."

(FINISHES IN MONTANA.

FAIRBANKS MEETINGS LARGE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

MISSOULA (Mont.) Sept. 29.—With a stop of an hour at this point, Senator Fairbanks concluded his four days' speaking tour of the State of Montana. His special train arrived at 8:30 o'clock a.m., and was met at the railroad station by a committee of prominent Republicans and escorted to an immense tent near the depot by the Young Men's Republican Club and a brass band. The tent in which the meeting was held is used as a theater, and the speakers spoke from a platform least so far as the present campaign is concerned.

Former Representative Benjamin C. Cable of Illinois, who called on the judge today were Dr. John Girdner, who has been the host of W. J. Bryan whenever he came to New Haven, who served as chairman of the Connecticut State Committee and conducted an enthusiastic campaign for Bryan four years ago.

The incident that has created the most notable comment was the meeting between Senators Gorman and Parker at the hotel. Parker, who was given an announcement from their close friend, Dr. John G. Girdner, who has been a leader in the Democratic party, that whatever differences heretofore existed between Maryland leaders have been dissipated, at least so far as the present campaign is concerned.

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(PARKER'S CALLERS.

LABOR LEADER BOGDAN ONE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

Parker has decided not to return to Espanola until tomorrow afternoon. Among his callers today was John Bogard, prominent as a labor leader. Bogard, who is a member of the Socialist party, had come to Espanola to speak at a meeting of miners and miners' wives at the Hotel Rosedome and Parker for the purpose of continuing a discussion touching on the relation of the Democratic party to organized labor.

Dr. John H. Gardner, New York, a personal friend of William J. Bryan, called today to pay his respects to Parker.

(POLITICAL BRIEFS.

LA FOLLETTE DECISION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

MADISON (Wis.) Sept. 29.—The decision was not rendered in the La Follette case today, and the politicians of both factions are content to wait with some patience, as they can afford for another twenty-four hours at least. Judge Cassidy is still unable to attend court.

(ARRIVES IN SPOKANE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

SPOKANE (Wash.) Sept. 29.—From Helena, Mont., to Spokane, Wash., Senator Fairbanks traveled today, crossing the northern point of Idaho en route. The day was more marked for its devotion to sightseeing than to speech-making, and the striking beauties of Bitter Root and Cabinet ranges, and the swiftly-flowing Clarkes fork of the Columbia River and the Pend O'Reille Lake were fully appreciated by the Vice-Presidential candidate and his colleague, Senator Doliver. Senator Carter and other members of the Montana escort were left behind at Helena and Missoula, and as the Washington committee did not come along the next morning the Senators were left to their own resources, during the greater part of the day.

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MONTEREY REGISTRATION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

SALINAS, Sept. 29.—The registration in Monterey county this year will not less than 500 short of that in 1902. The vote of the county four years ago was over 5000, but it may not reach 4000 at the coming election.

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SPOKANE (Wash.) Sept. 29.—Eugene V. Debs, Socialist candidate for President, addressed an audience of 1500 tonight in the Auditorium. An admission fee, ranging from 10 to 50 cents, was charged.

The party arrived in this city at

5:30, and at 8 o'clock the Senator's party was escorted to the Spokane Theater by a number of marching clubs. They encountered an opposition demonstration on the part of the Socialists, who candidate for President, Eugene V. Debs, addressed another theater in the city during the evening. In his speech tonight, Senator Fairbanks made an exposition of the Republican policy in the Philippines, his leading topic. He also discussed the tariff, and urged a continuance of the Republican policies as necessary to the welfare of the American people. The question of the Philippines was carried to the Philistines to build Republican institutions.

"We have been in the islands but a comparatively brief period. It has been less than six years since the conclusion of the peace negotiations at Paris. In that time, insurrection has been suppressed, order restored, schools established, the administration of justice improved, and the Philippines have been rapidly educated in the ways of self-government. It has been a part of our policy to invite them to the administration of their affairs as speedily as the situation warranted. They have had from the beginning the most ample opportunity of self-government, and the United States has appointed a quarter-general of the second army, which will be composed of six corps, including the Eighth Odessa Corps and the Sixth Siberian Corps. The latter is now with the police department last night, stating that after listening to the Salvation Army services in the streets he had become converted and repented of being a bigamist. He stated that he had been here only four or five days and had come direct from Los Angeles. He now has a wife; also, a wife in Canada. Chief Rowan of the police department here telephoned to the Los Angeles police department concerning the matter, but he has not yet received a reply.

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PEACE TALK FOR RUSSIA.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The emperor will return here from Odessa. Odessa, where he has been staying since his arrival in Russia, will be the scene of his return to the capital.

There will be telegrams delay in giving news of his telegram during his absence. The Emperor stopped his train at Vilna, in order to receive in audience Gen. Gripenberg, who is to command the second Manchurian army, and who went there to hand over the charge of the military district.

Gen. Gripenberg's chief of staff at Vilna, Gen. Rousseky, has been appointed chief of staff of the second army.

Rousseky served with distinction during the Turkish war, and was wounded at Pleven. Gen. Schwanka, chief of staff of the Sixth Corps in Poland, has been appointed quartermaster-general of the second army, which will be composed of six corps, including the Eighth Odessa Corps and the Sixth Siberian Corps. The latter is now with the police department last night, stating that after listening to the Salvation Army services in the streets he had become converted and repented of being a bigamist. He stated that he had been here only four or five days and had come direct from Los Angeles. He now has a wife; also, a wife in Canada. Chief Rowan of the police department here telephoned to the Los Angeles police department concerning the matter, but he has not yet received a reply.

(DUE AT SAN JOSE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29, 1:45 p.m.—Upon the Emperor's return from Southern Russia, he will go to his hunting lodge at Bielovesh, on the border of Poland, between Vilna and Kieff, and will be received by the Emperor.

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(ALL TO REPENT EXPOSES BIGAMY.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

FORMER LOS ANGELES CLERK TELLS ALL IN GALVESTON.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

When R. E. Scott listened to the Salvation Army All His Wrongdoing Came Over Him and Now the Police Are Calling Back and Forth.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES)

GALVESTON (Tex.) Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] R. E. Scott, a drygoods clerk, gave himself up to the police department last night, stating that after listening to the Salvation Army services in the streets he had become converted and repented of being a bigamist. He stated that he had been here only four or five days and had come direct from Los Angeles. He now has a wife; also, a wife in Canada. Chief Rowan of the police department here telephoned to the Los Angeles police department concerning the matter, but he has not yet received a reply.

(LAID TO GO HUNTING.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

SAN JOSE, Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Fairbanks will speak in this city next Tuesday forenoon. The Republican Congress campaign will be opened at a noon-day meeting, with speeches by Nominees E. H. Muller, Maj. Kyle of San Francisco and others.

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Confined to His Bed Since Wednesday Night.

Much Progress in Teaching Indians English Made.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Postmaster-General Payne is seriously ill at his apartment at the Hotel Arlington. Marked symptoms of heart trouble have developed and his condition became so serious during the day as to cause grave concern.

Mr. Payne returned recently from a trip in the West and appeared much improved, though his health has been poor for a long time. He went to the White House to attend the meeting of the Cabinet last Tuesday, and that night was very restless. He was at his desk at the Postoffice Department during the forenoon yesterday, although feeling very badly, and did not return to the department after luncheon, remaining in his room. He became very ill last night, and has been confined to his bed ever since.

Dr. McGruder, who is his physician during his absence, has informed some months ago, has been attending him, and Dr. Riley, Surgeon-General of the Navy, also has been called. During the evening the President and Mrs. Roosevelt called at the hotel to make inquiries regarding Mr. Payne's condition, but it is said that the patient was resting easier tonight. His bulletin follows:

"The Postmaster-General has not been feeling well for several days. Recently developed symptoms of heart trouble have enveloped. These were very serious during the night and the early part of today. He is responding to the remedies employed and is resting easier."

WHITNEY'S STATEMENT.

Francis Whitney, secretary to Postmaster-General Payne, remained at Mr. Payne's room until late tonight. Mr. Whitney made this statement:

"The Postmaster-General has returned from his recent western trip apparently in better health than for some time past. Frequent comments were made at his improved appearance. He was at his office at the time of his return and attended the Cabinet meeting that day. He was at the office again Wednesday forenoon, though he had passed a restless night. His will power kept him up late last evening, since which time he has been confined to his bed."

At midnight, Mr. Payne was sleeping quietly in his room.

Dr. McGruder was still in attendance.

Dr. McGruder left later and Private Secretary Whitney retired for the night.

At 5 o'clock this (Friday) morning, there had been no upward developments and it was expected that the Postmaster-General would spend a fairly comfortable night.

SAVES MUCH WORK.

NEW POSTOFFICE RULING.
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The Post Office Department has published a new rule which is intended to expedite the mailing of quantities of third and fourth-class matter. Hereafter, whenever identical packages exceeding 2000 in number are brought to the post office, they will be required to state name and number, and the mailer will be permitted to pay cash for the postage instead of putting stamps on each article. This will save the expense both of stamping them and of canceling the stamps.

CGAR STAMP MATTER.

ARMSTRONG'S ORDER TO STAND.
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a statement in the imported cigar-stamp matter, in which he permits the order made by Assistant Secretary Armstrong to stand so far as it concerned reducing the size of the stamp and attaching it in a less conspicuous place on the box. He reverses the order which required the stamp to be attached to the same side of the internal revenue stamp and to be placed on the bottom of the box instead of the top, as at the end where it hangs and opposite the internal revenue stamp.

Secretary Shaw had been kept advised of the progress of proceedings with reference to the custom stamp case, and copies of the papers filed in the case were sent from the office forwarded to him. After the hearing before the acting secretary last evening, Mr. Taylor made a concise summary of the arguments presented by each party in the controversy, and in consideration of the Secretary on his return today, with recommendations. As soon as the Secretary returned to Washington, he took up the matter with Assistant Secretary Taylor, and after an interview with the President, decided the case. In his statement accompanying the decision, the Secretary said:

"The testimony established the fact that the present stamp is used as a trade-mark by the cigar importers; that this trade-mark is valuable to them, and gives an advantage upon them as against the manufacturers of cigars in the United States, and the cigars are, in effect, the only commodity imported into the United States that receives the benefit of such a trade-mark."

In view of the fact that this government stamp in its present form undoubtedly gives a pecuniary advantage to those who it is the intent of the order already issued by the department, in its essence, proper. The government's business is to control the revenue and to provide, as far as possible, against fraud, but it is not the government's business to furnish a guarantee in the form of a trade-mark for the benefit of the goods. This should be left to the tobacco importers, exactly as it is in all other business."

"The result of the decision will protect the domestic manufacturer from an adverse effect, and protect the importer also by giving him a stamp with a distinctive color, which can be seen by the purchaser if he cares to make examination."

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Postal Carrier at Sebastopol.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch] W. L. Harmer, a rural carrier at Sebastopol, and Mary Harmer substitute.

INTER-STATE WATER SUIT.

Effort to Solve Case Between Kansas and Colorado Now Being Made at Pueblo.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)
PUEBLO (Colo.) Sept. 29.—An effort at a solution of the Kansas-Colorado water suit is in progress, and if the efforts of those most interested in the case are successful, a strip of the western border of Kansas, an arid region about one hundred and fifty miles wide, will be annexed to the State of Colorado, and the litigation now before the Supreme Court at Washington will be thrown out.

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Both Worden and Kendall appeared before the government commission when it was in session here, and are thoroughly familiar with the situation. They say they are supported by practically every resident in Western Kan-

REPORT RIDICULED.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

TOPEKA (Kan.) Sept. 29.—Politicians ridicule the report sent out from Pueblo that a portion of Western Kansas is likely to be ceded to Colorado. None of the State officials are in the city tonight, but the Attorney-General's office says the story is purely of politics, and that the commissioners who composed the committee to make all possible concession were to be made it would not help matters in the least as regards the irrigation case as the entire Arkansas Valley must be considered in the settlement.

JUDGE PHELPS' LETTER.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—After allowing time for the communications in the Phelps-Gurney case to reach Washington, Gov. Bates today made public the letter he wrote to the British Ambassador, in which he informed the State Department that the judgment against Third Secretary Gurney of the British Embassy has been vacated and that the court has remitted the fine imposed.

He says that Judge Phelps, Gov. Bates suggests that the attention of the British Ambassador be called to the fact that the laws of Massachusetts under the belief that the Ambassador will take such action as the case may demand.

The Governor also expresses regret that want of knowledge of the law has resulted in an error of judicial authority in Massachusetts, and expresses the hope that the statement of regret by Judge Phelps is conclusive disavowal of any intention of Massachusetts courts to ignore international law.

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The Ambassador declined to make any statement or comment on the matter, in the absence of official correspondence. He expects to receive the official documents tomorrow morning, at which time he will probably give out a statement.

DETAILS INSUFFICIENT.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The letter of Judge Phelps to Acting Gov. Bates, "In response to your telegram, I have the honor to submit the following statement in regard to the proceedings in the case of Hon. Hugh Gurney, Third Secretary of His Britannic Majesty, Lenox, Mass.: Sir:

"As justice of the Lee Police Court, I have the honor to inform you that through a misapprehension of the law, I assumed that the court had jurisdiction over the person of a citizen of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Having become apprised of this error, and seeking to make all possible reparation therefor, the court has vacated and annulled all proceedings taken against the defendant, and the erroneous judgment entered thereon. I beg further to express my profound personal regret that I should have been without knowledge of the law, and of your own personal vexation and annoyance, or that anything should have occurred which may have seemed to me to be contrary to the rights of a representative of the government of His Britannic Majesty. Respectfully,

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MISSOURI PACIFIC OFFICIAL.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—A circular issued here tonight from the Missouri Pacific headquarters announces the appointment of Charles S. Clark, general superintendent of transportation of the Missouri Pacific system, vice-president of the Missouri Pacific system, succeeding Russell Harding.

OBITUARY.

CHARLES Y. YEATON.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Once wealthy and with a host of friends among prominent and wealthy men in this country, Charles Y. Yeaton, the inventor, is dead at the Home of Industry, a charity project in Troy, N.Y., from which he had suffered two years, caused his death. Yeaton invented a number of machines, among which was a typewriting machine, the first ever invented, and ended in intimate acquaintance with President Andrew Johnson, who offered him a diplomatic post at St. Petersburg.

SIR CHARLES RIVERS WILSON EXPLAINS ABNORMAL WORKING EXPENSES OF THE FIRST PART OF THE YEAR.

Sir Charles Rivers Wilson Explains Abnormal Working Expenses of the First Part of the Year. Meetings at Portland, Or., for Election of Directors.

RAILROAD RECORD.

CANADIANS FIND A DEPRESSION.

GRAND TRUNK IS NOT SATISFIED WITH AMERICAN TRAFFIC.

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LONDON, Sept. 29.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk, says the abnormal working expenses of the first part of the year were due to the severity of the weather, and the depression which existed in the United States, as well as in Canada. The prospects, however, were bright.

The report of the board was adopted, and the directors were authorized to enter into an agreement acquiring control of the Canada-Atlantic Railroad Company.

D. J. PRINDIVILLE.

SAN JOSE, Sept. 29.—D. J. Prindiville, for fifteen years collector of the San Jose Water Company, prominent in the N.W.O. Union, died suddenly tonight, under peculiar circumstances. While walking on the street he was attacked with acute heart pains. He was treated in a drug store, but died in a few moments. The deceased had complained of heart trouble. He was a native of California, aged 45 years, and leaves a widow and four children.

ENJOYS TICKET BROKERS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the annual meeting of the Chicago Stock Exchange, held yesterday, the third secretary of the British Embassy, was found guilty by Judge Phelps, Justice of the Police Court of Lee, in the county of Berkshire, of embezzlement. He was sentenced to three years imprisonment, upon a charge of violation of the law in this state.

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**CONNECTICUT
IS LAUNCHED.**

*Great Battleship Safely in
Waters of Sound.*

*First Since the Maine Built
by the Government.*

*Sister to the Louisiana, and
Most Powerful.*

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-A.M.
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Despite sensational rumors of threatened vandalism, the battleship Connecticut was successfully launched at the New York navy yard today. On the stand at the bows with Miss Alice B. Welles and Secretary of the Navy Morton, were Adm.-Gen. Corbin, Gov. Chamberlain of Connecticut and other invited guests.

As the great hull began to slide down the ways Miss Alice B. Welles, granddaughter of Gideon Welles, Secretary of the Navy during Civil War, stood at the end attached to the bows of the ship and attempted to dash it against the bow of the battleship. She was not successful, however, and a second attempt, made with the assistance of Admiral Rodgers, who stood at her side, also failed just before the big ship took the water, however, a workman who had watched the scene from the dock of the crew went down over the bow, dove up the bottom and with a strong blow smashed it on the steel sides.

THOUSANDS PRESENT.

Many thousands of people witnessed the launching of this, the first battleship built in the United States since the ill-fated Maine, large crowds gathered at the navy yards and at various points on the Manhattan and Brooklyn banks of East River. More than 3,000 invitations were issued and few were not used.

Streams and bunting were displayed in profusion everywhere around the navy yard. A show of the new battleship was tastefully arranged with a large American flag. Naval Constructor Baxter, in charge of the launching, was contacted by telephone with the news of the ship's arrival, noting that everything was ready he gave the signal to the workmen and the great steel hull was on its way to the water.

The ship started slowly at first, gaining momentum as it slipped into the water. A chorus of whistles from the vessels in the harbor drowned the strains of the assembled warships band and the big steel hull ride safely on the water.

THE LOUISIANA'S SISTER.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-A.M.
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Connecticut is a sister ship of the Louisiana, and both vessels were authorized by act of Congress in 1903. The Connecticut was built in a government yard and under government supervision, while the Louisiana was built by a private shipbuilding firm, at Newport News, Va. The construction of both ships has been followed with keen interest, as it was recognized that it was a test of the government's ability to compete with private enterprise.

Much depended on the competition of construction, for if the Connecticut is completed before the Louisiana, then most of the government shipbuilding will be done by the latter, and vice versa. The New York navy yard will be the shipbuilding center for government work.

The Connecticut when finished will be second in size to the Louisiana in the American navy and will rank with the most powerful battleships of the navies of other nations. Notwithstanding the fact that a new plant had to be erected for the construction of the Connecticut, this vessel is but 4 per cent behind the Louisiana, although laid down two months later.

The last vessel of any size constructed at the navy yard was the ill-fated battleship Maine.

The keel of the Connecticut was laid down March 10, 1903, the stem was erected July 28, the armor placed aboard April 24, and the first boiler shipped July 7.

IS MADE OF STEEL.

The Connecticut is of steel, with a total displacement of 18,000 tons and a maximum displacement of 17,750 tons. The vessel is 424 feet long, the load-water line 454.4 feet over all, 76.1 feet beam and 24.6 feet draught.

The engines will be of the twin-screw vertical four-cylinder triple-expansion type, with a total horsepower of 16,500, and these will accomplish a speed of 15 knots.

The Connecticut will carry three funnel-tops, two midship masts, two main and four secondary turrets, and one main deck central battery. The armor has a total weight of 3992 tons.

On each side amidships there is a star shell 180 feet long, nine feet three inches wide, and seven inches thick. The forward and aft of this belt is another nine inches thick, covering the magazines. This is ended by six-inch armor on the deck, and the 234 feet the armor is six inches thick and on the main deck for 238 feet, where the central battery is, the armor seven inches thick. The protected deck is one-half inch thick, one-half inch over all, and two and one-half inches on the slopes. The main turrets are eight inches thick, with twelve and one-half inch faces. There are two of these, one on each side, protected with ten inches of armor, and the secondary turrets with six inches of armor, with six and one-half inch faces. The conning tower is protected with steel armor nine inches thick and the signal tower with six inches of steel.

HER ARMAMENT.

Her armament will consist of four 12-inch breech-loading guns, four pairs in the forward turrets, and another aft, and eight 8-inch guns mounted in pairs in the four turrets in the superstructure. In the main-deck battery there will be twelve 12-inch rapid-fire guns mounted 30° to a broadside. In addition, there will be twelve 14-pounders, twelve 3-pounders, six 1-pounders, two 1-pound semi-automatic and two 12-inch mortars. There will be in the magazines she will carry sixty rounds for each 12-inch gun, 100 rounds for each 8-inch gun, 100 rounds for each 7-inch gun, 200 rounds for each 3-inch gun, 900 rounds for each 1-pounder and 900 rounds for each 12-inch mortar.

The coal bunker capacity of the Connecticut is 900 tons normally, but in an emergency this can be increased to 2200 tons. Ordinarily, she will carry sufficient coal to steam 7000 miles at 11 knots or 2500 miles at 18 knots.

The Connecticut is built for use as a flagship, and when in commission will carry forty-two officers and 781 men. She is not to exceed \$1,250,000.

This will be the third vessel to bear the name of Connecticut in the United States navy. The first was built at Middletown, Ct., in 1778. The second was a wooden sloop which was purchased in 1861 and used during the Civil War. This vessel cost \$200,000 and was sold at auction in 1865 for \$131,000.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

First Business Session of the Brotherhood's Convention in Philadelphia is Held.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—More than 200 members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew assembled today in Horticultural Hall for the first business session of the nineteenth annual convention of the organization. The principal subjects considered at this meeting were those connected with the reports of the National Council and the treasurer and the discussion of Brotherhood work and its extension. Tonight a mass meeting was held in the Academy of Music at which "Aggressive Church Work by Laymen" was the leading topic.

The report of the National Council gave statistics of the growth of the organization since its incorporation in 1894, charting in force in the senior department 762 being those of the active chapters.

The report of the treasurer, George R. Randolf of Pittsburgh, showed the receipts for the year to be \$21,329, and the expenditures \$15,800.

The "forward movement" funds now amounts to \$10,189.

The resolution that the proposal to increase the membership of the National Council was referred to the Committee on Nominations. The resolution also restricts the membership of the council to forty-five.

The report of the National Council



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**HOW HE LOOKED
FOR "AMERICA."**

ZEIGLER EXPEDITION'S SECRETARY GIVES EXPERIENCES.

Secretary Clark, Who is Coming Over from London to Report to Zeigler Himself, Says the Next Relief Trip Will Start from Norway in June.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—(By Atlantic Cable,) W. S. Champ, secretary to William Zeigler of New York, and who was in charge of the expedition sent to search for the Arctic exploration vessel "America," said to-day that his return to Norway tomorrow on board the White Star liner Cedric. On his arrival in the United States he will report to Zeigler the details of the British attempt to rescue the crew of the Fram.

Describing the attempt after leaving Vardo, Norway, Aug. 6, Champ said the Fram had first encountered tremendous gales. After meeting with them he had to drift for nearly as long as possible until he reached almost due north of the Arctic, when drift ice drove him back. After endeavoring to find another passage the Fram had to give up the search. Reception augured well for a large Republican majority and a big Smith

— Senator S. C. Smith of Bakersfield, candidate for Congress, was then introduced. Smith presented tersely the issues of the campaign, illustrating with apt stories and clinching with effective argument that kept the attention of the audience for more than an hour. The speech dealt with the issue of imperialism raised by Democracy and with the tariff, which he deemed to be the foremost issues of the campaign.

— This is the second Republican rally of the campaign, and the second appearance of Senator Smith in Orange County. The chairman of the two meetings, Senator Smith, was received with ample supplies of refreshments and other necessities and that there was no reason for much anxiety concerning them.

**PARTY TURNOUT
BIG AT ORANGE.**

REPUBLICANS WARMLY GREET CANDIDATE SMITH.

Most Enthusiastic Political Rally in the Town's History—Columbia Marching Club and Santa Anna Band do Valiant Service—Forceful Discussion.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
ORANGE, Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The most successful and enthusiastic Republican rally in the history of Orange was held tonight with hundreds of staunch party adherents present from miles around.

The Columbia Marching Club was the most enthusiastic political rally in the town's history—Columbia Marching Club and Santa Anna Band do valiant service—Forceful discussion.

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Bargain-Friday No. 251

Remnants, Short Lines and Broken Assortments

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Economy the Key Note of Our Bargain-Friday Sales

If you have a grain of economy in your make-up you'll appreciate these Bargain-Friday sales and grasp the opportunities for money saving presented by these weekly events. What though the merchandise featured is principally remnants and broken assortments, the fact of a piece of goods being a remnant proves conclusively that the particular material met with ready sale. Every article featured for Bargain-Friday is at a special price for that day only; but as we've often told you before, the very best things find no newspaper publicity—lines that are too short to advertise are consigned to the aisle tables and are frequently disposed of early in the day. Come as early as you can—there's always a crowd on Bargain-Friday, but it's a jolly, good natured crowd and you'll enjoy the activity and bustle which you will find in this busy store. Note carefully each of the following following items. Your savings multiply as your expenditures increase.

20c Linen Gingham 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ c

50 pieces of linen gingham in the very best of patterns and colors; 24 inches wide; suitable for women's and children's wear; absolutely fast colors; actual 20c values; Friday, per yard, 7c.

Polyular Wash Goods 5c Yard

Bargain-Friday we offer all that is left of our wash goods stock at the well-nigh ridiculous price of 5c yard. These are various lengths, large, bairies, and dimities; materials originally priced from 10c up to 50c; some of them in short lengths, others of nearly full pieces; an immense assortment to choose from; but better get first pick and you'll have to come early to do so; Bargain-Friday, per yard, 5c.

Lonsdale Cambrie 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ c

500 yards of Lonsdale and Berkely cambrie in mill remnants of from 2 to 10 yards; these materials usually sell at 12c; not more than 15 yards sold to any one customer. It won't last the day, so come early. Bargain-Friday, per yard, 6c.

8 $\frac{1}{2}$ India Linon 5c

Fine sheer India linon for women's and children's dresses 18 inches wide; a regular 8.5c value; Friday, per yard, 5c.

Lace Trimmed Chemise \$1.00

About 40 dozen lace trimmed chemises. The surplus stock of one of New York's best makers. Cut extra long and wide; trimmed with splendid laces in dainty designs. Actual values up to \$2.00; Bargain Friday, 81c.

Knit Underwear at Bargain Friday Prices

Women's jersey ribbed vests, pants and tights; medium weight; regular 50c value; Bargain Friday, 35c.

Women's wool ribbed vests and pants; medium weight; black or white; long sleeved vests ankle length pants; worth \$1.00; Bargain Friday, 75c.

Women's \$1.00 Union Suits 5c

Women's silver gray wool mixed ribbed union suits; Oneita style or those buttoning down the front; perfect fitting; all sizes; worth regularly \$1.00; Bargain Friday, 5c.

Boys' 35c and 50c Underwear 25c

Boys' came hair shirts and drawers; fall weight; excellent quality; regular price 35c and 50c; Bargain Friday per garment 25c.

Basement Bargains

Set of 6 thin blown glass table tumblers, well worth 40c; Friday, set, 24c.

Glass covered sugar bowls, good shape; fair size; Fr. day, each, 5c.

Plat bottle of bluing or ammonia for laundry purposes, often so dot 10c; no phone orders; Friday, per bottle, 3c.

Good laundry soap, standard size bars, cheap at 5c; no phone orders; Friday, 15c.

Household paints, prepared ready for use, all colors; Friday, half pint cans, 10c.

Black stain liquid stove polish, always sells at 25c; Friday, per can, 19c.

Cryatoe, an excellent substitute for Sapolio; Friday, 6 cakes for, 25c.

\$1.00 Fabric Gloves 65c

Woman's fabric gloves some of like others of silk; those sold at 10c; good value; a variety of sizes and styles; Friday, per pair, 65c.

Hair Switches At About Half

Good hair switches; 18 inches long; all shades of brown also black; worth 10c; Friday, each, 7c.

Gray switches; 20 inches long; worth 25c; Friday, each, 15c.

Wavy hair switches; made in three separate strands; best of colors; worth 30c. Friday, each, 30c.

Bargains in Notions

Linen corsage lace; 24 yards long; gray or 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.

Corset steels; gray, black or white; four or five hooks; all lengths; worth 5c; Friday, per yard, 4c.

Sewing needles, sharp; all sizes and assorted packages . . . worth 5c, Friday per package, 3c.

Marshall's Lines thread, black or white; all numbers, worth 5c; Friday per spool, 2c.

Kid hair curlers; two sizes; glove stitched; well finished; worth 5c; Friday, per doz., 2c.

LOCAL POLITICS.
**CAUCUS DONE
AWAY WITH.**

Arrangements for Republican City Convention.

Precinct Committeemen Sore at Councilmen.

Dominant Party Still Without Standard-bearer.

At a meeting of the Republican City Central Committee Wednesday evening it was decided, by practically unanimous vote, to do away with precinct caucuses for the nomination of delegates to the city convention. The caucus, usually held after the election, is not the caucus ticket does not meet with the approval of the voters. The choice of delegates will therefore be limited to the primary election which will be held October 25. Voters can support any individuals or set of delegates whom they please, at the primary, instead of having a ticket cut and dried for them by the handful of voters who would attend the caucuses.

MEET IN SACRED WALLS.

The convention will be held October 25 in St. John's Church, which will be the first political gathering ever held within those sacred walls. There is no saloon within several blocks of the place, but it being a Republican convention, beer can be dispensed within its walls. A committee of the Lodge might be held from the breweries to the auditorium for the refreshment of the thirty delegates, but it is expected that the convention will have its usual supply of beer, as well as other-minded citizens, it is not believed that it will be necessary to draw on the breweries for inspiration. Hazard's Pavilion, the usual source for holding the convention, could not be used for the purpose, on account of Souza's Band being billed to appear there that week.

JACK WRIGHT'S TROUBLES.

"Jack" Wright, the new secretary of the City Central Committee, is somewhat disengaged in his work on account of the entire absence of data or records of the proceedings of the committee during the last municipal campaign. "Billy" Cord, former secretary of the committee, who is now a physician at the State Insane Hospital for the Insane at Patton, removed all the records of the committee from the headquarters in the Cope building, to his home, at the close of the last campaign, when the quarters were closed. Cord was the rightful custodian of the records of the committee and he has been unable to get back into the office of the president of the present campaign. But having become demented and committed to the asylum, the new City Central Committee and its secretary have been unable to locate any information or assistance from the unfortunate Mr. Cord, and the records cannot be found.

INDIGNANT COMMITTEEMEN.

A great many of the Republican precinct committeemen are indignant at the action of members of the City Council in making up the election boards without consulting them, as is customary for the Councilmen to call on the precinct committeemen of both parties to suggest names of men to serve on the election boards. The county supervisors, in making up the election boards for the approaching general election, followed precedent and consulted the committeemen in each precinct. The Committee in most instances agreed with the representatives of the parties in their respective wards, and appointed friends of their own to sit on the election boards. The lack of a "generalization" of committee-men's prerogative is especially numerous in the Second Ward.

GET YOUR TRANSFERS.

The period for making transfers of voters from one precinct to another, on the Great Register, expires October 12. Persons desiring to vote at the summer election, November 1, must have their precinct residence and voting place officially recorded before October 14, or forfeit the right to vote. Transfers for the city election December 1, must be made by the later date, which has not yet been fixed.

SHY REPUBLICANS.

WANTED—A STANDARD BEARER. While the city convention only four weeks distant, the Republicans are still without a candidate for Mayor who would be acceptable to the rank and file of the party. Horace Prince of the "Big" Ward is still the only avowed candidate for the nomination. While he is warmly recommended by his immediate friends, there seems to be a general feeling that he is not well enough known to be the party's standard-bearer. Present members of the party and business men still remain very coy whenever the nomination is mentioned to them. The fate of Julian Shryock, Herman Silver and company is still in suspense, inasmuch as prominent Republicans who otherwise might covet the honor of filling the executive chair at the City Hall, are the anomaly of cities with a cosmopolitan population like Los Angeles, and no leading member of the party with courage enough to make the race for the highest office in the nation a reality.

BAILEY COMMENDED.

CANDIDATE FOR SUPERVISOR. The Democrats have nominated Ward S. Bailey of Long Beach for Supervisor, which has brought forth a commendatory letter from New York to the effect that "Bailey is an ideal American citizen." The sort of man needed in public life, he said, is one who is good, kind, and of prominent Republican who otherwise might covet the honor of filling the executive chair at the City Hall, as the anomaly of cities with a cosmopolitan population like Los Angeles, and no leading member of the party with courage enough to make the race for the highest office in the nation a reality.

THE ALSO MENTIONED.

Among the newest "also mentioned" in connection with the Republican nomination for Mayor, is Gen. C. C. Allen, former Adjutant-General of the State. As yet Gen. Allen's candidacy has not taken more definite form than rumors of his being a candidate for the position. Gen. Allen said he was unable to come to him that he suggested as an available candi-

date, but the matter had not been broached to him in any way that would identify him to the public as a candidate. He was not seeking the nomination, and he had not heard that there was likely to be any organized attempt to thrust it upon him. He thought it strange, however, that no good Republican could be found in the city whose party so largely predominates, to take up the gage of battle. Mr. Snyder or some other Democrat will throw down. Although very non-committal, he left the interview under the impression that he might be willing to step into the breach if a younger and more acceptable standard bearer could be found.

FOSHY SUGGESTED.

"The man for the Republicans to nominate for Mayor, if he would accept the office," said a prominent member of the Republican County Central Executive Committee, who himself has been mentioned as a possible candidate, "is James A. Foshy, City Superintendent of Schools. Foshy could be elected, hands down, over M. P. Snyder, or any other candidate the Democrats could put up."

"But could he afford to give up his post and position to accept the Mayoralty?" asked the reporter.

"I see no reason why not. The emoluments of the Mayor's office are just as great and the duties no more irksome. Besides, Foshy expects to run for State Superintendent next year, and the next State election, and the Mayor's office in Los Angeles would be as easy a stepping-stone for him as his present office to be elected Mayor of a city like this."

"He has a cinch on the office, would give him great prestige as a voter.

After he appealed to the citizens of the State to put him at the head of the State's educational establish-

Odd Fellows Visit Catalina Island.



A Group of Prominent Visitors



The Odd Fellows—a thousand of them and more—went to Catalina yesterday. Because the boats were late in getting in, nearly half of the throng did not reach the reception held in their honor at Elks' Hall last evening, with its feast of intellectual and entertaining treats. There were others not there because, well—because they had suffered too severely from plebian attacks of "mal de mer." They were the laughing stock of the rest.

Representatives from all parts of the country were present, and the meeting was harmonious and unanimous in all its proceedings.

HUBBARD IS HOPEFUL.

SAYS THE COUNTY IS SAFE.

Former Supervisor H. C. Hubbard of Fernando, who was in the city yesterday attending a meeting of the Republican County Central Executive Committee, has but recently returned from a month's tour of the East, and his observations have led him to believe that Roosevelt and Fairbanks will be elected by an overwhelming majority.

Mrs. Hubbard visited in Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New York, Connecticut, Illinois, and in the World's Fair at St. Louis, besides traveling with people from every eastern and northern State, en route, and he says he found sentiment among the most favored districts of power, ruling Roosevelt in office and continuing his successful and popular administration.

Hubbard is hopeful.

TONIGHT THE FRATERNITY LEFT.

On their return home yesterday, going via San Pedro and Los Angeles, the various lodges on the various trains. The gathering will break up noticeably to day, when every out-going passenger train is expected to bear its quota of returning pilgrims.

Tonight the final jinks will be held over in the Main street hall, when fun and frivolity will be the main theme of pleasure. A enormous bill of mince and talke is in preparation, and the Los Angeles entertainment committee has promised an enthusiastic time for those who attend.

Elks' Hall will be open all night, notwithstanding the strands of whom delayed boat and delayed train had combined to keep away from the festes.

Extra seating facilities had been arranged for, but all the chairs were filled early in the evening, and the late comers lounged in window seats and on small tables. The platform took form on an eminent quota of the dignitaries of the order.

The Walter Lindley, the chairman of the evening, was introduced by E. E. Overholster, and he, in turn, presented the old father of His Honor, Meredith P. Snyder. The old man, as well, had said the nice things he always does upon such occasions. After the municipal address of welcome, "M. A. Langley, Past Grand Representative of California, responded.

Langley, who is a member of the Odd Fellows and the Rebekah Lodge, A short address of interest to members

was then given by J. Frank Grant of Baltimore Md. Mr. Grant, who is also State secretary of the Sovereign Lodge of the World. Other talks were offered by Elvin J. Curry, assistant grand secretary; Marion, by John D. Gaunt, grand representative of Kentucky, and by Robert J. Baird, grand representative of Georgia.

The program was diversified by music and readings. Among those who participated in the purely entertaining features were Miss Theodore Harris, Mrs. Adele Remers, Evan J. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Palmer.

A subject of which the speakers never seemed to tire was the prevailing amazement at the beauty and resources of California. They appeared to have been pleased with the southern end of the State.

new composing-room. The rooms were decorated in the Mexican, Spanish and American colors.

Father Juan, the tailor and haberdasher pronounced a blessing, the printing effects were touched by the fingers of the expectant audience, a bottle of champagne was broken over the press and the first copy of "El Cronista" issued. Viva "El Cronista!"

Father Juan, that genial little man of old Spain, presided as toastmaster at the long table in his vestry Hall, just off the main dining room, officiating at the "Plaza" Church. After a twelve-course dinner Father Juan started the following programme: Sole Star Spangled Banner. Mrs. M. G. Gandy, piano solo; Mrs. John Garcia; piano solo; Miss Agnes Buisseret; "El Periodismo," an address by Rev. Juan Caballero; "La Paloma," sung by Miss F. Arredondo; remarks by Spanish by Editor A. R. Vela; Mexican National Hymn, sung by Miss Maria Ybarro.

Se charron was the warm evening in the old church, and so attractive were the shadows of the ancient pain wherein to acquaint one's self with newly-made loved ones. The guests did not sit there at the banquet board until 9:30 o'clock; and it was one of those gay small hours of the morning before the birthday celebration for "El Cronista" was concluded.

Feminine beauty was added to many

joyfulness to make the banquet as gay and entrancing as any named meeting could be. There was a charmingly captivating California señorita whose sparkling black eyes were a subtle foil to the sparkling golden charms of the party. The gallant caballeros sounded roundly merrily through the hall.

About fifty were seated at the sumptuous banquet, among the special guests were the Consul General of various foreign consulates of the city and foreign publications, and several men.

There was a small audience in honor of the initial appearance of "El Cronista;" and the representative of the sister Republic on the south was a gracious host to appropriate guests.

A gay birthday celebration, probably never before witnessed in these parts, marked the initial appearance of the new Spanish publication. This ceremony, preceding the banquet, was given at the offices of "El Cronista," No. 134½ North Spring street, at 8:30 o'clock.

There a small invited audience was gathered to hear the birth of the paper.

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COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
Boston	69	52	66	44
Washington	72	55	69	44
Philadelphia	80	60	77	55
Cincinnati	80	60	77	55
Pittsburgh	80	60	77	55
St. Louis	90	70	82	60
Riverside City	80	60	70	50
Jacksonville	80	70	81	61

The maximum is for September 2; the minimum for September 29. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Sept. 28. (Reported by George Franklin, 10 a.m., Forecaster.) At 4 o'clock a.m. the temperature was 57°; at 5 p.m., 75°. The thermometer for the last 24 hours showed 23 deg. and 33 deg. Relative humidity, 22 per cent.; 5 miles, 25 per cent. Wind, 8 miles per hour. Velocity 14 miles, 8-9 m.p.h. Southwest wind, minimum, 32 deg.

Forecast.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity. Continued fair weather tonight and Friday, with increasing temperature and north changing to west winds.

Weather Conditions.

Cloudy weather, with showers, prevails on the North Pacific Coast and fair weather in California with drying, northerly winds and high temperatures in the south.

LAKE TAHOE, Sept. 28.—Fair weather prevails over the lake and cloudy and threatening weather over the eastern region. Light rain has fallen in Southern California. The pressure has fallen generally west of the mountains. Temperature has risen about ten degrees to October levels in Nevada and along the Central California coast, and the rise has been slight.

Northern California: Fair, continued warm yesterday; northwesterly wind.

Southern California: Fair; Friday; light west winds.

Nevada: Cloudy; fair; warmer.

Las Vegas and vicinity: Fair, continued warm Friday; light northwesterly wind.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair, continued Friday; light northwesterly wind.

San Francisco and Fresno: Fair; Friday; light northerly wind.

Arizona: Fair Friday and Saturday.

YUMA (Ariz., Sept. 29)—(Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey) Gauge bright Colorado River, 12.25 feet.

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M. F. FANNER, M.D., OF FANTING FAMILY, will have his last lecture at Temple Church, New York, at 5 p.m. on Saturday, subject: "The Power of Prayer." Radio station WNYC will play in the Evolution of Medicine." Lecture, \$1.00.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Child-study Officers.

The Stanton-avenue Child Study Circle reorganized yesterday with the following officers: President, Mrs. William Levin; Vice-president, Mrs. C. D. Jackson; Secretary, Mrs. Leon; treasurer, Mrs. Van Leonen.

Park Church Concert.

A benefit concert will be given at the Park Congregational Church this evening to aid the Sunday-school. The Pacific Bell Ringers will give several numbers, and there will be numerous vocal solo, piano solos and readings.

European Seat Sale.

Sets for the final concert of the European Ladies' Chorus of Columbus, to be given tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Ohio society will be placed on sale at Bartlett's music store this morning at 9 o'clock.

Commissioner's Tour.

Frank P. Sargent, United States Commissioner of Immigration, is spending a few days in Los Angeles, en route to San Diego. Commissioner Sargent is out from Washington on one of his tours of inspection, including the length of the Pacific Coast.

Two Bankrupts.

James Smith of Asia has been adjudged a bankrupt in the United States District Court. His scheduled liabilities are \$350,73, and his assets \$333,69. Frank R. Minkler of Fresno has filed his petition in bankruptcy, stating his liabilities as \$562,16, without assets. It was Moving.

Arthur Gifford, 18 years old, of No. 749 Lake street, was thrown to the ground yesterday morning while attempting to steal a moving car at Alvarado and Seventh streets. He was rendered unconscious but was revived at the Receiving Hospital.

Parlor Meeting Today.

The Boyle Heights W.C.T.U. will have a parlor meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. N. Edwards, No. 346 Fickett street. Mrs. Lillian S. Edwards presides on "Why I Should Wear the White Ribbon." Refreshments will be served.

Tied to Telephone Pole.

Ovid Johnson, an insane Swede, terrorized the residents of East Ninth street early last evening by parading the streets in his undershirt and at top of his voice. He was finally captured and tied to a telephone pole while awaiting the arrival of the police. Johnson seems to be suffering from a form of dementia.

Accomplish of Beggs?

Earl Snow, the reputed accomplice of Addison Beggs, the notorious young bicycle thief, has been arrested in Oxnard. The police were notified yesterday morning of the boy's appearance in Oxnard, and he was brought back on charge of burglary. Beggs in his confession implicated Snow, who is only 15.

Pipe Works Fire.

Fire of unknown origin damaged the pipe works of J. D. Hobson at Hallwood and Main Streets to the extent of \$3000, early yesterday morning. The blaze was discovered at 4 o'clock in a shack occupied by A. Borodin, a carpenter, in the rear of the Lewellen Iron Works, who was communicating to the pipe works. The greatest damage was done to the machinery.

Loyal Legion Picnic.

The Loyalty Temperance Legions of Los Angeles and Santa Fe Springs will have a picnic at the latter place tomorrow. Guests of the legions will be the children of the Los Angeles Orphans Home on Alpine street, and a number of the inmates of the New boy's Home. Program includes athletic sports and games, has been arranged for the forenoon, and in the afternoon Mrs. Luella W. Burt of South Pasadena will give a "chalk talk."

Even Chance for Del Valle.

Joseph Del Valle, the driver of fire engine No. 4, who was severely injured Wednesday night, still hovers between life and death. He was removed from the Recreational Hospital yesterday morning to the home of his aunt, Mrs. C. E. Griffin, 1050 North Griffin avenue. Dr. Choate, the attending physician, says his patient has about an even chance for recovery. His condition late last night, while considered critical, was dangerous.

Who Hit Lockridge?

P. S. Lockridge, a barber of No. 712 Turner street, is suffering from a fractured skull, sustained during an alteration with his wife and son. Lockridge thinks the son struck him and the son admits it. The wife has refused to ask the police to make arrests. Lockridge's marital relations have not been the pleasantest during the past two months, and often resulted in a week or two weeks ago. The man's condition is said to be serious.

After Chinese Lottery.

So rapid has been the growth of the Chinese lottery game throughout the business section of the city recently that the Chief of Police is taking active steps to suppress the growing evil. Officers have been specially detailed to ferret out the elusive shanty Celestials. Charles Gim and Chee Goop, owners of the Little Goddess Club, were caught in the dragnet yesterday. They are charged with having lottery tickets in their possession.

Homes and Subdivisions.

Mrs. Little Booth, Ada G. Hicks and Edna Shuler, daughters of the late S. A. McAllister, have sold to A. N. Davidson, through the agency of W. O. Lewis & Co., forty acres, unimproved, lying between Adams and Twenty-ninth Streets, West Adams, and the grounds of the County Club. Consideration named \$60,000. Buyer will subdivide. Dr. R. A. Campbell has purchased of John D. Works, through W. H. & C. C. Clegg, 220 feet by a nine-room two-story frame dwelling on the west side of Orchard avenue, between Adams and Twenty-ninth Streets; consideration named \$6000. Buyer will occupy.

Other Features.

The Weather Bureau's monthly statement of averages containing data covering a period of twenty-seven years, with reference to October weather, was issued yesterday. The mean normal temperature for the month is 64 deg.; the highest temperature, 102 deg.; and the lowest 46 deg. The average precipitation for the month is .46 inches. The greatest monthly precipitation was in 1898, 6.96 inches. The least was in 1891, when there was no rain during the month. The highest rainfall for any one day was 4.6 inches on Oct. 1, 1898. The prevailing winds have been from the west and their velocity has averaged four miles per hour. The highest velocity of the wind was thirty-four miles per hour from the northeast on October 7, 1887.

BREVITIES.

Henry J. Kramer will form a Juvenile dancing class Saturday, October 1, 1:30. Adult beginners' class, Monday evening, October 2. Classes in physical training and artistic fancy dancing, beginning October 17, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Instructor, diploma Gilbert Normal School of Dancing, Boston. References required. \$22 Grand average.

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**EVEN MONEY
ON WALCOTT.****How San Franciscans Look
on Tonight's Fight.****Experts Not Sure if Will be
"Square" Contest.****Automobiles Held for Duty.
LooLoos' Ballplay.**

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From today's developments it seems that neither Gans nor Walcott is to be the favorite with bettors in their battle tomorrow night in Woodward's Pavilion. The first wager of consequence was \$100 at seven, the man who took the Walcott end of it declaring that he has \$100 more to place on the same terms. Jack Collins is an admirer of the Barbado Demons, while Gans is a fan of his enemies. Aside from this, there is little betting on the fight as most experts are undecided whether the fight will be on "the square" or not.

Both men took things easy today, Gans being under weight. When he ended work yesterday, he weighed exactly 136½, while Walcott weighed 140. The official measurements taken yesterday show the following:

(Gans Height, 5 ft. 8 in.; weight, 136½ pounds; neck, 15½ in.; chest, normal, 36 in.; chest, expanded, 39 in.; waist, 29½ in.; forearm, 9½ in.; biceps, 11½ in.; thigh, 20 in.; calf, 13 in.; reach, 62½ in. Walcott—Height, 5 ft. 11 in.; weight, 141 pounds; neck, 15½ in.; chest, normal, 37 in.; chest, expanded, 40 in.; waist, 30 in.; forearm, 12 in.; biceps, 14 in.; thigh, 22 in.; calf, 14 in.; reach, 65 in.)

LOU DILLON'S LAURELS.

FASTESE CONSECUTIVE MILES.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CLEVELAND (O.) Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lou Dillon, the noble little trotting horse, has won fresh laurels. Driven by Millard Sanders in work, he has trotted the fastest two consecutive miles ever placed to the credit of any horse that ever lived, when she stepped the first mile in 2:02.

After a rest of twenty-five minutes, she came out again and repeated the trick in 2:03. The workout was to get her shape for her race with Maj. Delmar Shattock in October. The record was all the more remarkable from the fact that the track next to the pole was soft from recent rains, and the trotting queen was forced to make her position on the rail, making the miles long ones.

Dillon declares that she runs faster now than ever before, and shows no sign of having been affected by recent sickness. This year the times for the first heat was 0:30, 1:01, 1:32, 2:02; second heat, 0:31, 1:02, 1:33, 2:03.

JOCKEY CLUB STAKES.

MAHER RIDES THE WINNER.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

LONDON, Sept. 29.—[By Atlantic Cable] Rock Sand, ridden by Maher, the American jockey, won the race for the Jockey Club Stakes at the first October meeting at New Market today. Henry the First was second and William Rufus third. The last named horse was ridden by Martin, the American jockey. Ten horses started.

The Jockey Club Stakes are of 100 sovereigns, for three-year-olds and up, one mile and three-quarters. Great interest was taken because of the entry of a large number of well-known horses. The betting was 5 to 2 against Rock Sand and the First, while Martin's mount started at 100 to 1.

Rock Sand was supposed to be suffering from an inflamed leg, and until this morning it was doubtful whether he would be able to start. Yet he won by a length, a half, St. Amant, this year's Derby winner, could not even get fourth place.

RACING AUTOMOBILES HELD.

CUSTOMS DUES NOT PAID.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Four French automobiles brought here from Paris to compete in the Vanderbilt cup race on Long Island, in October, are held at the customhouse pending the payment of duties amounting to \$18,000. The cars, of 30 H. P. each, arrived by a French steamer last Sunday. By an arrangement with the Treasury Department, all the foreign cars entered for the race were declared by the customs to have been admitted duty free on condition that they were to be deported within ninety days. However, the machines were appraised at \$10,000 each and the customhouse officials announced that they would be held until the full sum could be paid.

The facts are favorable for the Vanderbilt race, as there are no other entries for that event and the fourth being a substitute. A special representative was sent to Washington to inspect the cars by the Treasury Department, but failed, and it is likely, only one of the automobiles will be taken from the customhouse for the race.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

PHILLIES CLOSE A SERIES.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—The winning game of today's double-bill, the Philadelphia American League team won the season's series with St. Louis by a score of eleven games to ten. Murphy won the first contest for Philadelphia by knocking the ball into the left field bleachers for a home-run in the seventh inning. Glade proved invincible for St. Louis in the second game, and the locals won easily. Attendance 3200.

First game:

St. Louis, 6; hits, 2; errors, 1.

Philadelphia, 1; hits, 6; errors, 6.

Batteries—Morgan and Sudgen; Wed-

del and Schreck.

Second game:

St. Louis, 10; hits, 10; errors, 1.

Philadelphia, 1; hits, 3; errors, 6.

Batteries—Glade and Sudgen; Henley and Nocon.

CLEVELAND-BOSTON.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

CLEVELAND (O.) Sept. 29.—Cleveland made it three straight from Boston today, sending the champions into second place. Attendance 2100.

Score:

Cleveland, 8; hits, 9; errors, 1.

Boston, 1; hits, 8; errors, 1.

Batteries—McCabe and Brush; second,

Princess Erie third; time 1:54:2.

GRASSWOOD RESULTS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Five and a half furlooms: Santa Catalina won.

Santa Clara second, Sonoma Belle third; time 1:48:1.

Santa Clara Team Wins.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

CINCINNATI, Sept. 29.—Today's game was another hard-fought pitchers' battle. Attendance 3200.

Score:

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Philadelphia, 0; hits, 5; errors, 1.

Batteries—Smith and Sullivan; Wolfe and Clarke.

NEW YORK-DETROIT.

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SOFTBALL.

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FORD UNIVERSITY.

Students Breaks Record for Institution—Plug Ugly—Football.

RESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES]

RD UNIVERSITY (Palo

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The Register's office

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The figure

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Last year there were

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A few students from other

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Fairbanks, Republican can-

Vice-President, accompa-

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MRS. WILL HICKEY.

be at home at No. 71 East Palm Avenue, Redlands, after November 1.

Sunshine Society.

Mrs. Harry K. Wheeler of Hotel

Granada entertained with a whist and

dancing party last evening in honor

of the Sunshine Society. The rooms

were attractively decorated with pep-

per bouquets. Geraniums and small

plants added to the brightness of the

room. Pretty prizes were awarded the

winners and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Wheeler was present, and in repre-

senting by Mrs. Warren S. Tracy, Mrs.

Frederick Johnston, Mrs. Kanst, Mrs.

Stone, Mrs. Delia Bracken, Mrs. T.

Spencer Brown and Mrs. William

Wallace McLeod.

At Church of Nazarene.

A Fawn Evelyn Galbraith became

the bride of Andrew O. Hendricks

a few moments ago, the ceremony being

performed by Dr. E. F. Bresne, at the

Church of the Nazarene. Rev. J. P.

Coleman assisted in the service, and

the bridegroom

was

Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith were

attractively dressed, and a reception

was held at the home. Mr. and Mrs.

Hendricks have gone to Catalina and

will be at home in Los Angeles after

October 13.

For Miss Howe.

Last evening Mrs. Spoon Mackey en-

tered the hall of the church with

a smile on her face. Miss Harriet Howe, who is

soon to be married, left for

Nixon Coffin. Bride roses and

magenta ferns were employed in the table

decorations, and covers were marked

with cards ornamented with water

color sketches of wedding bells and

bridal wreaths.

Among those who were laid were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark, Miss Grace Harrison, Miss Marion Tousley, Miss Myles, Mr. Thayer, Mr. Lines and Wallace Marshall.

Badger Club Entertains.

A reception was given last evening

by members of the Badger Club, at

the

San Bernardino, Orange and Riverside Counties.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

PROVED TO BE RANK IMPOSTOR.

SANTA ANA MASON VICTIMIZED BY DOPE FIEND.

Supposed Doctor Has Served Jail Sentence in Los Angeles and May Get Another—Reunion Arranged by Orange County Veterans—City Hall Dedication Plans.

SANTA ANA, Sept. 23.—Developments of the past two days have proven conclusively to the minds of the officers and to local Masons that the man found wandering in the peatlands in an apparently demented condition, and later cared for here by the Masonic Lodge, under the name of Dr. Alexander E. Neal of Millboro, Ky., is not Dr. Neal, but a rank impostor who is using Neal's name and Masonic standing to get money enough to keep him supplied with morphine, to the use of which his present mental and physical wreck is attributable.

When the man first appeared here and gave the name of Neal, it was observed that he was a dope fiend, and small fees were exacted from him to keep him in a tractable condition. L. L. Shaw, Master of the local Masonic Lodge, who has taken Neal's case personally, and even singlehandedly, for aid, has now telegraphed to Millboro to make inquiries about Neal. He has learned that he left there with plenty of money in his pockets, but several friends to attend the Tampa Conclave at San Francisco, and an examination of the hotel register at the Van Nuys showed that Neal was there with a party of four, and that he had been staying at Sharpsburg, Ky., just a couple of days before the appearance of the man posing as Neal in this city. Later information from Neal's home town was to the effect that he was not a doctor, such as the prisoner here purports to be, and piecing these facts together, the conclusion reached was that the man was an impostor. Apparently he suspected that the officers here were becoming suspicious of his identity, and while confined at the hospital, plotting made an attempt to escape. He was promptly arrested over to Sheriff Lucy, and has since been in jail. This morning Marshal Maxwell swore, to a complaint, charging Neal with vagrancy, and it is expected he will be committed to a term for a visit with relatives at Burlington, Iowa.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

John Anderson, nominee of the Republican party for Assemblyman from Orange County, is home from a several week trip to the East. Mr. and Mrs. M. T. B. Elliott were passengers en route for St. Louis.

Miss Mamie Landreth of Whittier is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McDaniel.

A. H. Nickerson's wife departed Saturday for a visit with relatives at Burlington, Iowa.

William Allen and his wife have returned from a visit with relatives at Burlington, Iowa.

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ALLEGED SEAL BREAKERS.

Robert Cassavetes and W. H. Pritchett of No. 44 Hill street, Los Angeles, are guests to the County Jail from Colton this afternoon, having been arrested last night, charged with breaking the seal on a Southern Pacific freight car.

Major F. C. Bodman of Rockford, Ill., and Miss M. B. Henderson of San Diego are guests at the home of W. J. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hughes have returned from a visit with relatives at Burlington, Iowa.

Major and Mrs. E. T. Scott of Fullerton are visiting at the home of Dr. E. D. B. Newton on East Fourth street. Mrs. Scott is National Lecturer for the W.T.C.U., and her husband speaking of her work.

The piston rod on the engine on the Santa Fe train from Santa Ana to Los Angeles broke when the train was about a mile south of Anaheim this morning, and the train was delayed for about an hour. An engine was taken from a south bound freight train at Orange and sent back to take the train on to Los Angeles.

FULLERTON.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

FULLERTON, Sept. 23.—The convention of the Santa Anna Valley Association of the Baptist Church will be held in Fullerton October 12 and 13.

The losing side in a membership contest will give a supper to the members of the Fraternal Brotherhood after the regular meeting next Wednesday.

William French has purchased from William Thompson and wife, of San Pedro, their two houses and lots for \$3500. The couple completed last evening, and the congregation appointed committees to commence the building of the \$10,000 edifice, to be erected here immediately.

The local Republicans have organized a Roosevelt club, and this morning wired to the President the following greeting: "The Roosevelt, Captain of San Pedro, Cal., sends greetings and wishes you well."

Matt Shill has returned to Fullerton after several months' absence spent at his old home at Lindyville, Ind.

W. B. Wisher of San Francisco, who has been waiting to speak in this vicinity, is in Fullerton looking after his property.

CLOTHES FAR, FAR AWAY.

COLTON LADS HAVE LONG WAIT FOR GARMENTS.

While Swimming in Colorado River Wagon With Precious Duds Is Sucked Into Quickands—Companions Go to Forty-five Miles for Something for Swimmers to Wear.

COLTON, Sept. 23.—Imagine having your clothes lost while you are taking a swim and then having to wait while a companion goes forty-five miles for more garments!

That is what happened to two Colton lads down along the banks of the Colorado River. Herb Headman has remained with the site.

Headman, with Gordon Parker and Ward Cox, all Colton boys, left here about a month ago for the Imperial Valley.

The marriage of Miss Nettie Bard, formerly of this city, and Dr. Lloyd Cooper of San Diego, took place yesterday in the attire of the bride.

With a burro and a buckboard they started up the canal. When they reached the river Headman and Parker stripped off their clothes and placed them in the wagon. Then they swam down the noble stream looking for a good ford.

They started to drive the burro. He had gone out a few yards from shore when the animal, with the rig began to sink in the quickands.

With the tenacity of a bulldog that soft mass gripped the wheels and gradually the body of the vehicle. Down went the wagon, carried by the retentive such of that abominable animal, was arrested yesterday on a charge of violating the liquor ordinance, and was put under \$300 bonds to appear Thursday, October 4.

The matter has been agitated several times heretofore. In the trial of a similar case a year ago, it was impossible to secure a jury, and the ordinance was found to be defective. This is the first arrest under the new ordinance.

THROWN FROM HIS BUGGY.

T. E. Ellis met a painful accident Tuesday while returning from Wildwood, in a carriage accompanied by his wife. The buggy, having some horse, which with the carriage became unmanageable upon the approach of the train from around a curve, Mrs. Ellis jumped from the carriage, the horse overturning with the doctor throwing him out and breaking his collar bone. It is said that no warning whistle was given or bell rung.

Miss Ruth Returns yesterday from an extended trip to San Francisco and the invitation is extended to all old soldiers of the Civil War to meet them when they will follow speeches and toasts interspersed with music and songs of the old times. Besides the various corps of the Pioneer Guard, the G.A.R. and other organizations, the Spanish War and friends, so that the attendance promises to be exceptionally large and the day an interesting one.

TRYING TO SETTLE CHARGE.

The Orange County Veterans Association will meet in annual convention at the A. A. Hall October 12.

The convention will be called to order 10:30 a.m., when reports of officers will be read, new officers chosen and a place selected for the next gathering.

At noon each march will be selected and then will follow speeches and toasts interspersed with music and songs of the old times. Besides the various corps of the Pioneer Guard, the G.A.R. and other organizations, the Spanish War and friends, so that the attendance promises to be exceptionally large and the day an interesting one.

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Leroy Hook of Fullerton, who has been incarcerated at the County Jail for the past ten days on a charge of forgery, a check for \$363 at Washington, Pa., was visited yesterday by Uncle Mr. Graham, of the Graham-Lofthus Oil Company of Los Angeles, who is interesting himself in the young man's plight and will probably make arrangements with the company which Hook is alleged to have defrauded.

Graham is understood, is prepared now to make restitution, but details have not been arranged. One from Pennsylvania is expected daily with extradition papers to take Hook back for trial, but it is probable that before his arrival the case will be adjusted by the court.

LECTURES AND CONCERTS.

Arrangements are completed for a course of entertainments, including lectures and musical recitals, to be given at short intervals during the season at Spurgeon's Hall. The first

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Los Angeles Daily Times. II

NUBBED THE VENTURA WOMEN.

TOWN TRUSTEES IGNORE THEIR EARNEST PETITION.

Plea for Reduction in Number of Saloons Turned Down and no Reason Given—Registration Total Shows Decrease—Definite Plan for Water and Lighting Systems.

event comes tomorrow night, being a lecture by Wallace Bruce Ambrose. This will be followed with concerts by King, Myron, Conley, former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, the Schumann Ladies' Quartette of Los Angeles, and with lectures by Elbert Hubbard on "Roycroft Ideas," and by Reno S. Wellborn on "Kadum and Wireless Telegraphy."

TO TEST THE BONDS.

J. B. Bushard, Lewis Hell and S. E. Talbert, directors of the Talbert Drainage District, instituted a friendly suit last night against all petitioners interested in the bond issue of the district and against all people interested in the district, to appear and show cause why the issue of bonds should not be denied.

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They are all' wool two-piece knee pants suits in cassimere, dickey cheviots and velours; fall weight. Sizes 3 to 9 are single or double breasted Norfolk style, small Eton collar; sizes 9 to 16 years are regular double breast ed style, Italian cloth lined. Choice Fri. **\$3.50** day.

Boys' Knee Pants at 75c

They are strictly all wool fall weight cassimere and cheviots, good coloring; have best elastic waist bands, riveted buttons and sizes 3 to 16 years. An exceptionally good school pants

75c

SECOND FLOOR

Laces worth to 20c at per yard 5c

Wash laces, orges, insertions, and bands in c. wavy, antique, French and Norman; Valenciennes, white ecru and arate, widths to 5 inches and values to 20c. Friday Surprise, choice, per yard

5c**Ribbons Worth to 20c at per Yard 5c**

All silk ribbons, including taffeta, satin liberty and satin taffeta, good quality, assorted widths in popular colors, white and cream; values to 20c; Friday Surprise, per yard

5c

SECOND FLOOR

8½c Outing Flannel 5c.

An assortment of 25 pieces of these suspenders of best silk and lace webbing; have kid leather ends, work button holes; silk stitched, and are either wide or narrow in light, dark and fancy colors; none worth less than 75c, many \$1.00; choice

49c

Friday

12½c Curtain Swiss at 9c

Fine figured and lace striped curtain Swiss in a large assortment of patterns; all the new styles and a 12½ value. Friday per yard

9c

THIRD FLOOR

10c Curtain Swiss per yard 7½c

Striped Curtain Swiss 40 inches wide; good enough for bed and living rooms. Offered for less than the price of common scrim for it is on sale Friday a per yard

7½c

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Household Surprises

Embossed Milk Pans—blue mottled outside and white inside 12½ inch diameter; regular price 9c. Friday

33c

Gas Hot Plates—2½x2½ inches; four burners; are black finished nickel trim med. Price Friday

\$4.50

Double Meat Roasters—refined steel sheeting with nickel plated resistors and loose grates medium size. Price Friday

79c

Step Ladder—highly seasoned pine, wire red supports; four feet size. Price Friday

69c

Enamelled Sauce Pans—either handled or bailed; medium size. Price

28c

All Copper Tea Kettle—heavily nickel plated; flat bottom; will fit any stove. Price

\$1.15

"Puritan" Oil Stove—brass burner, nickel trimmed; one burner size. Price Friday

89c

Curtain Stretcher—adjustable nickel plated pins; are all large size; worth \$2.49. Price Friday

\$1.98**Jewelry Surprises**

New Alarm Clocks 65c

These are a standard make of alarm clocks. They are warranted and are as good as those sold most anywhere at \$1.00. A special Friday leader

65c

Belt Buckles at 45c

The very newest in front and back effects and are in gilt, French gray or oxidized. Specially priced for Friday

45c

New Silk Belts 75c

These are ring and button styles; all the fashionable shapes and are the very latest silk belt novelty. Specially priced Friday

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Shoppings Bags at 95c

Fine leather handles and are in imitation alligator and lizard skin; are well made and are a Friday offering

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